IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Anne Hupp

Group Art Unit: 1793

Serial No.: 10/522,835

Examiner: Shuangyi Abu Ali

Filed: January 31, 2005

Confirmation No.: 6570

For: AQUEOUS PIGMENT PASTES
COMPRISING METAL PIGMENTS AND

I hereby certify that the attached

COMPRISING METAL PIGMENTS AND THEIR USE FOR PRODUCING AQUEOUS EFFECT COATING MATERIALS correspondence is being submitted by EFS-Web as an eFiled Response, addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

EFFECT COATING MATERIALS

October 22, 2009.

/AimeeTPeluyera/ Aimee T. Peluyera

RESPONSE TO ADVISORY

Mail Stop Amendment After Final Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE

This is in response to the outstanding Advisory Office Action of October 8, 2009, wherein the rejection of pending claims 1-16 was maintained. The shortened statutory response for response expired on October 22, 2009.

Thus, no extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, Applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account 06-1130 any fees necessary for entry of this amendment and/or extension of time.

Please refer to the claims and remarks as set forth below.